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Dear Vickie and Jimmy.

The tape came yesterday (22nd) and we loved it. By the time you get this letter, you will be back from your trip to Paris and Amsterdam so we will be anxious to hear all about it.

I told you about the doll I bought Diane ^{that} was taken, rather stolen when Diane took it to school. The teacher put a description of it in the school paper, sent to the parents and yesterday, the doll was on the teachers desk, in the morning, before the teacher arrived. Diane is happy to have the doll back, altho the flower basket is gone and the hat is off. and the shoes and dress are quite a mess.

Aunt Stella's granddaughter, Marie Ogdon is getting married June 20th

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in Mabton at the house of friends.
We are going and will stay overnight
in Sunny side which is two miles
from Mabton and then probably
drive down to Reno.

I enrolled Diane in an art class
which she likes and is doing real
well in sketching with charcoal.
In two weeks she will start
with the oils. The class is from
~~5-7~~ 6-8 every Friday and she plans
to paint a picture for space. She
looks so funny, sitting on the little
chair in front of the easel.

Thanks for sending Daddy old
shoes back. He is going to the
super market soon so I will send
this with him.

Love,
Mom